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SUBJECT: DELIVERY OF DEMARCHE REQUESTING FRANCE'S SUPPORT  
FOR U.S. CANDIDATE FOR THE UN COMMITTEE ON THE ELIMINATION  
OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

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(U) Post delivered on November 19 an advance copy of reftel demarche and supporting documents (including bio info on U.S. candidate Pierre-Richard Prosper) to Jacques Pellet, Deputy Office Director equivalent for Humanitarian and Social Affairs at the MFA. The diplomatic note formally requesting France's support for Prosper's candidacy for election to the UN Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination was delivered to the MFA on November 27. We will follow up with the MFA again before the January 18, 2008 election date, unless we receive, in the interim, a response to our note. Please visit Paris' Classified Website at:  
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